

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
1:17CV206**

**JUDITH BROWN,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**ECONOMY PREMIER ASSURANCE  
COMPANY,**

**Defendant.**

---

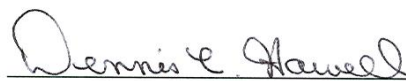
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
)

**ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on Defendant's Motion for Order (# 28) pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 58-79-40(a)-(c). Defendant seeks an order allowing the production of information and documentation relating to its investigation of the fires on October 11, 2016, and October 12, 2016, at Plaintiff's property, pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 58-79-40(a) and (b), and providing Defendant and its employees, representatives, experts, and defense counsel with the protection provided by N.C. Gen. Stat. § 58-79-40(c). Def.'s Mot. (# 28) at 1. Plaintiff filed a Response in Support (# 29).

The Court has thoroughly researched N.C. Gen. Stat. § 58-79-40 and the case citing the statute. The Court concludes that the statute speaks for itself. Moreover, the Court notes that it failed to find a single case in a similar posture providing the relief Defendant now seeks. Therefore, Defendant's Motion for Order (# 28) is DENIED.

Signed: August 31, 2018



Dennis L. Howell  
United States Magistrate Judge

